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GEORGE F. HENSHALL.....EDITOR.

MONDAY .....January 10, 1910

## JAPAN'S POLICY VERY AGGRESSIVE.

The Japanese government seems to have very definite and positive views as to what should be done in Manchuria. There was no hesitancy about its repudiation of Secretary Knox's suggestion that the Manchurian railway be neutral. On the very day after Knox made his proposal, the Tokio government announced its disapproval. It didn't seem to need any time for consideration, nor even feel disposed to regard the plan as worth taking time to consider. In fact, the haste with which the disapproval was announced scarcely seems to show courteous respect for a proposition coming from such a source as the American Cabinet.

The incident raises an issue more clearly understandable than most of the vague talk about the "Open Door." Knox's statement was official, given out as a result of a Cabinet decision to announce it, and it has been endorsed with equal authority by the St. Petersburg government. The Japanese disapproval is equally official, being a formal statement from the Foreign Office in Tokio.

The question that naturally arises is, what is Knox going to do about it?

Another question which will also suggest itself to those who favor the Open Door is, What reasons, consistent with the treaty of Portsmouth and the Open Door policy, can Japan have for opposing neutralization of the railroad?

## OUR LEGISLATURE COMPLIMENTED

Before the House Committee on Territories in Washington, Governor Frear paid a deserved compliment to Hawaii's Territorial legislatures. Answering a question regarding the responsibility of the Territory, in connection with a plan for federal endorsement of bonds, he said: "The legislature of the Territory has always been very conservative, very careful and very jealous of its credit and its financial standing. I do not think that it would go recklessly into any proposition."

It is a fact that the recent legislatures of Hawaii have been very creditable bodies, taken as a whole. The fashion is to sneer at them, and disappointed partisans of some single pet measure often declare when their bill is defeated that the whole session was a miserable and even scandalous failure. But comparison with a number of State legislatures leaves Hawaii quite able to "point with pride."

It really would seem that a salary of \$250 a month from the county is not enough to command all the time of Road Supervisor Wilson, he is too valuable a man for the job.

Is there any valid reason why the views of the governor of Hawaii regarding appointments in which he has a say, should be such a matter of secrecy and even mystery? Is there any reason why the people shouldn't know whom he favors and who has his opposition? If there is, the reason is unknown to most people.

Governor Frear said to the Committee on Territories that the county governments in the islands were doing fairly well, with one exception. We invite Editor Buckland to offer a prize for the first correct guess as to which is the exception.

Now come reports of a large tourist movement impending from the Northwest, from both American and British territory. Tourists are coming from all sides, and when we get steamer accommodations the town will be full of visitors the year round. Hawaii is the natural winter resort for people of British Columbia and the northwest States.

"Link" McCandless disagreed with some things which the governor, in his presence, told the House Committee on Territories. But he smiled acquiescence at the statement that poi is not an onion.

Ballinger's trouble is by no means over just because Taft and Wickes have turned down the charges against him. That was merely the administration sustaining its own Cabinet officer. It goes without saying that the charges could never have made such a stir had they been without plausible foundation. Democratic members of the Congressional committee of investigation will take up the inquiry in a hostile spirit, and it may be doubted whether Ballinger will get through so easily with the committee as he did with the attorney-general.

Seven years for manslaughter is what a New York judge recently gave to a wealthy automobile owner who knocked down a pedestrian and hastened from the scene without offering aid. Almost everybody—including other owners of machines—applauded the sentence.

## NOT A CREDIT TO HONOLULU.

The great Cleveland party of tourists—biggest party that ever came here—will find Honolulu as her worst as far as the mosquito nuisance is concerned. Partly as an unavoidable result of a spell of unusually wet weather, but more because the anti-mosquito campaign has been so long neglected, the city is worse afflicted now than for many years past. When it is considered that at one time a vigorous campaign actually demonstrated that the pest could be partially eliminated, this is a state of affairs to be ashamed of.

## Commercial News

BY L. D. TIMMONS.

McBryde and Pioneer led in new ed. Five shares Pioneer sold at \$199 strength on the Stock Exchange this .50. At the close \$199.25 was offered morning. Between boards 10 shares of for the stock and \$200 still asked. the former had sold at \$6.375. On the Ewa seemed solid at \$32.50 blocks boards 100, 7,000 and 7 shares found of 10,100 and 30 shares selling between purchasers at \$6.50. For the stock at boards and 10, 10 and 50 on 'Change the close \$6.50 was bid and \$6.625 ask- at that figure. At the close the same

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was bid for more, but holders were demanding \$32.575.

Ten Onomea sold at \$51, the same being offered for more and \$52 asked.

Another big sale of Kaula Railway bonds was reported, \$10,000 going at \$98.

Hawaiian Commercial appeared strong on the boards this morning, 75, 10 and 20 shares selling at \$38. For this stock \$37.875 was bid and \$38 still being asked.

## THE FLORAL PARADE.

It has been decided to have the finish of the floral parade at the baseball park in Kapiolani place of at Kapiolani Park. One reason for the change is that Kapiolani Park is being torn up preparatory to establishing a polo field upon it; but a second and main reason is that the baseball park has seating accommodations for a very large number of people. Alexander field and other places were considered, but the baseball park seemed to fill the bill better than any other.

The Hilo Elks have been invited to take charge of the excursion from the second city. It is calculated that they will start a live bunch of pleasure seekers and that the boat will stop at Maul for recruits from Walluku, etc. It is planned to have the Mauna Kea held over until midnight of floral parade day in order that the visitors may take in the masked ball and other features of the evening's program. It is calculated that the local lodge of Elks will assist the Hilo herd in caring for the travelers from the big island.

The present plan is to reserve the grandstand at the baseball park for subscribers to the parade fund, officials, etc., the public being admitted freely into the bleachers.

## LURLINE'S REPORT.

The Lurline wireless in last night that she was 880 miles' out and experiencing moderate northeast wind and sea. All well. She will arrive here Wednesday morning.

## SUGAR UNCHANGED.

The cable this morning reported sugar to be \$4.02, which is the same as the last previous quotation. Beets, on the other hand, were 4.72, a drop of one point.

## DRYDOCK MEN HERE.

Walter Ross, foreman of the big new drydock project at Pearl Harbor, arrived in the Alameda and has taken up his headquarters at Watertown. With him is David Root, expert instrument man and dock officer. The arrival of the foreman means that work will be taken up there in the very near future.

## SUGAR BY VIRGINIAN.

The freighter Virginian will leave Kahului tonight for Hilo, where she will complete her cargo. It was figured that she would take 10,500 to

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11,000 tons, but there will probably not be quite so much ready for her. She will sail from Hilo about Wednesday afternoon for Saline Cruz.

## CORPORATION EXHIBITS.

Territorial Treasurer Conkling wishes it stated that he has received the blanks required under the law of 1909 for corporation exhibits, and that the same are now ready for distribution. The old enactment to the same end fell throughout; but the new law has been made to stick. The exhibits must be filed with the Treasurer prior to the closing of business on January 31.

## ADDITION TO GARAGE.

Alexander Young has purchased from the Bank of Hawaii the property on Alakea street known as the Alakea House, etc., for something over \$9000. It is his intention to establish an annex to the big garage of the von Hamm-Young Company on the premises.

## PLUMBING PERMITS.

January 8.  
L. Chu dwelling, Alapai lane, Sing Chan Co., plumbers.

C. G. Sylvester, dwelling, Laniwal being offered for more and \$52 asked.

F. Santos, dwelling, Queen street.

Santos, plumber

Mrs. Minnie Marks, dwelling, Peterson lane. F. Santos, plumber

## PAPERS FILED.

J. J. Dummond to W. R. Castle, tr., additional mortgage.

Ana Kaka Hee to G. Kahal, et al., deed.

Caroline S. Bond to Elias C. Bond, deed.

Has C. Bond and wife to Robert E. Bond, deed.

Ching Ngee (w) to Kaneohe Rice Mill Co., Ltd., chattel mtg.

James Kanoho and wife to Trent Trust Co., Ltd., mtg.

Willie Ah Nee and wife to William Henry, mtg.

Kaiala to Hew Ten Sui, lease.

James Steiner to J. K. Davis, lease.

The annual meeting of the Merchants' Association will be held on Friday of this week, the most important business being consideration of reports and election of officers. The

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Bonds ..... 75,600.00	Subscribed ..... \$200,000
Real Estate ..... 25,266.33	50% paid in ..... \$100,000.00
Stocks and other investments ..... 30,100.19	Shareholders' Liability ..... 100,000
Mortgages secured by real estate ..... 23,137.34	Undivided profits ..... 63,558.59
Loans, demand and time ..... 198,870.44	Trust and agency accounts ..... 310,508.88
Furniture and fixtures ..... 5,000.00	Other Liabilities ..... 380.46
Accrued interest receivable 1,035.76	
Other Assets ..... 9,936.61	
<b>\$474,447.93</b>	<b>\$474,447.93</b>

Territory of Hawaii,  
City and County of Honolulu.

I, A. N. Campbell, Treasurer of the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

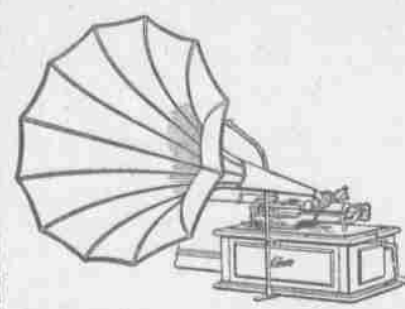
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